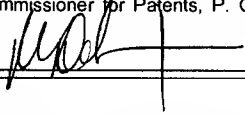


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Attached are:

- ☒ Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); First Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement; PTO Form 1449; copies of cited references B6 – B7.
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard.

Fee calculation:

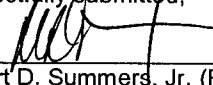
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- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

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### FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §§ 1.97-1.98, and more particularly in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c), Applicants hereby cite the following references:

### U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

No.	Date of Publication	Patentee/Applicant/Assignee
US 2003/0187826 A1	10/02/2003	Kennedy et al.
US 2003/0149650 A1	08/07/2003	Yeh et al.
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**OTHER ART – NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS**

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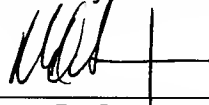
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Applicants are enclosing Form PTO-1449 (one sheet), along with copies of cited references B6-B7. As each of the listed references is in English, no further commentary is believed to be necessary, 37 C.F.R §1.98(a)(3). Applicants respectfully request the Examiner's consideration of the above references and entry thereof into the record of this application.

By submitting this Statement, Applicants are attempting to fully comply with the duty of candor and good faith mandated by 37 C.F.R. §1.56. As such, this Statement is not intended to constitute an admission that any of the enclosed references, or other information referred to therein, constitutes "prior art" or is otherwise "material to patentability," as that phrase is defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(a).

Applicants hereby certify pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e)(2) that no item of information contained in this Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, and, to the knowledge of the undersigned after making reasonable inquiry, no item of information contained in this Statement was known to any individual designated in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(c), more than three months prior to the filing of this Statement. Accordingly, Applicants have calculated no fee to be due in connection with the filing of this Statement. However, the Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency associated with the filing of this Statement to a deposit account, as authorized in the Transmittal accompanying this Statement.

Respectfully submitted,



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	B6	Faith Wempan, "SAMS Teach Yourself Microsoft ACCESS 2000", Quick steps for fast results- Get the skills you need in just 10 minutes; Safari Books online- ProQuest (Sams 1999).
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